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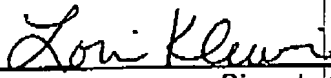
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Sir:

In response to a Final Rejection dated April 30, 2007 in the above-identified application, please consider the following amendments to claims 1, 3, 4, 8, 10 and 12, the cancellation without prejudice of claims 9 and 20 and the accompanying REMARKS.

Please charge the cost of one additional independent claim beyond that previously paid for to Deposit Account 07-0832.

Listing and Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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